

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 14, line 24 as follows:

On the other hand, the outputs B and C of the photodetector 54 are added by the adder 59, and the outputs A and D are added by the adder 60. The outputs (B+C) and (A+D) are subtracted by the subtracter 65. The output $(B+C) - (A+D)$ is applied to one of the terminals of the adder 67. Furthermore, outputs I and J of the photodetector 56 are added by the adder 63. The output $(I+J)$ is applied to the other terminal of the adder 67. The output $\{ (B+C) - (A+D) \} + \{ (I+J) \}$ of the adder 67 is applied to the coefficient multiplier 77 where the $\{ (B+C) - (A+D) \} + \{ (I+J) \}$ is multiplied by a constant K ($K=0-1$) for correction. The multiplied output $K [\{ (B+C) - (A+D) \} + \{ (I+J) \}]$ is applied to a minus terminal of the subtracter 70. Thus, the tracking error signal $[[\{ (F+G) - (E+H) \} - \{ (A+D) \} - K [\{ (B+C) - (A+D) \} + \{ (I+J) \}]] [\{ (F+G) - (E+H) \} - K [\{ (B+C) - (A+D) \} + \{ (I+J) \}]]$ is produced from a terminal 74 [[73]].